

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Randolph I. Chuo
KOJI TAKEKOSHI ET AL.	)	
	:	Art Unit: 2624
Application No.: 10/714,654	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 2523
Filed: November 18, 2003	)	
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For: MEDICAL IMAGE HANDLING	)	
SYSTEM AND METHOD	:	August 3, 2009

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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 7.